NORWICH, CONN., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1910

BOULEVARDS AGAIN GAY WITH

JOYOUS THRONGS.

WORK OF DISINFECTION

Corpses Sweep Down the River Seine

-Starving Dogs Roam the Suburbs.

Disinfect and Clean Up.

Columns of Pitiful Stories.

Light for Suburban Towns.

SEALED CHERRY MINE SHAFT

Biscuit.

Morse.

the Workings.

with rejoicing thousands

THE PRESENT HIGH COST OF LIVING

Reasons for Prevailing Conditions Must be Fully Determined as Soon as Possible

CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION COMING

Matter Placed in Hands of Ways and Means Committee -Chairman Payne and Minority Leader Clark to Draft Details-Inquiry to be Non-Partisan-President in Favor of Exhaustive Investigation.

Many Points.

COURTMARTIAL TRIAL

For Ejecting a Civilian

Yard "Hop."

return it. Another witness was Miss Margaret

Virginia Swift, Rear Admiral Swift's

daughter, if she thought her father would stand behind Dr. Cowles' eject-ment from the dance.

The courtmartial has aroused grea

Postal Savings Bank Bill-Panama

Bonds - Agricultural Appropriation

r and suicide. He alleges that there ists a secret band of thieves, bound inviolable oaths, and with death as

trial room today was crowded.

Washington, Jan. 31—President Taft and the leaders of the republican party in the house are in favor of a thorough and exhaustive investigation of the present high cost of living, and it was determined today at a meeting of the resolution to Messrs. The ways and means committee that that hody should assume the task of making a full inquiry into the whole matter.

Chairman Payne and Minority Leader Chairman Payne and Minority Leader Chairman Payne and Minority Leader Chairman Payne and the details of the investigation. It is intended that force shall be given to the inquiry by making it as non-partisan as possible.

Matter Brought Up in Committee.

Washington, Jan. 31—President Taft to find that committee was conseject and that committee work. It was finally determined to leave the work. It was finally

When the matter was brought up in committee today consideration was tven the various resolutions now bere the rules committee providing the committee today consideration was strength to the rules committee to the rules committe ore the rules committee providing for avestigations of the cost of living, us such resolution was introduced by appresentative Hull (democrat, Tenssee) and another by Representative Howland (republican, Ohio). Both pro-vide for very broad and searching in-quiry, and the committee had not arved at any definite decision regarding

It was suggested that the ways and already in possession of a vast amount fully determined as soon as possi

KEPT PRISONER IN WARDROBE BY HIS STEPMOTHER Eight Year Old Boy Too Weak to Stand-His Mind Affected.

New York, Jan. 31.-Huddled in his stepmother's wardrobe, too weak to stand, and pitifully emaciated from etarvetion, Joseph Steen, eight years old, was taken in charge by officers of the Children's society today, and a warrant was sworn out for Mrs. Mary Steen the stepmother. No statement from her has thus far been obtainable, but it is understood hat her husband, the boy's father, died

and he is unable to give any account of why he was kept confined. Neighbors brought the case to the attenti

RHODE ISLAND SUPREME COURT Opinion Written.

Providence, Jan. 21.—Methods pur-sued by Charles W. Morse, now serving a sentence of fifteen years in the federal prison at Atlanta, were con-cerned in an opinion written by Judge Sweetland of the Rhode Island supreme court and handed down today. The suit in question was brought by the National Bank of North America of New York against Edward H. Thomas of New Jersey and Newport, R. I., to recover the proceeds of a promissory note for \$50,000. The note was for a loan made by the bank while Morse was its vice president, and the negotiations were between the defendant and Morse. Real exists in Newport and Morse. Real estate in Newport belonging to Thomas was attached. The defendants plea in abatement was unstained, the bank's exceptions were overruled and the case was remitted to the superior court, with direction to enter indement upon the verdet for enter judgment upon the verdict for the defendant.

WHITLA REWARD NOW READY. Who Helped Catch Kidnappers.

Harrisburg Jan. 31.—The \$15,000 appropriated by the last legislature as a reward for the arrest of the kidnappers of Willie Whiltia of Sharon, Pa., pers of Willie Whiltia of Sharon, Pa, will be paid at once. All legal questions affecting the method of appropriation have been disposed of, and the warrants will be issued in accordance with the recommendations made by the attorney general. The reward will be distributed as follows:

Patrick O'Reilly, Cleveland, who notified the police of the presence of the kidnappers in his saison, \$5,000; William H. Hunley, Cleveland, bell boy, who looked after the child while awaiting his father's arrival, \$2,000. T. C. Cochran and Q. A. Gordon, attorneys, of Mercer, Pa. \$500 each; Martin Crain, chief of police of Mercer, \$100; pension fund of Cleveland police department, \$5,200.

U. S. SUPREME COURT DECISION State of Kansas Prevented from Ousting the Pullman Company.

ion in the case of the Western Union Telegraph company against the state of Kansas the supreme court of the United States rendered an opinion to-day which in effect prevents the state from ousting the Pullman company from doing a local business in that state, because it failed to pay a tax on its capitalization, under the provistions of the so-called Bush act.

Justice Harian announced the opin-

Wage Increase to Trainmen in Anthracite Coal Regions.

Philadelphia, Jan. 1.—Theodore Veorhees, vice president of the Reading railway, said today that the wages of its trainmen in the anthracite coal regions will soon be raised. He denied a report that a general increase will be made on all of the company's lines.

The wage increase in the coal regions will be made to bring them up nearer to the wages prevailing on the the penalty for any who may prove false to the league.

He tells of one member of the band who was trussed up and thrown into the Potomac to drown because he did not carry out the orders of his superior, and of another who committed enalths on account of the crimes that he per cent, will be or when it will go

New York, Jan. 31.—Notwithstanding high price of meat, a fine fat tur-y from Mayor Gaynor's country place St. James, L. I., brought only thirty ats undressed at a private sale to-

Yesterday the major missed the tur-key. Today "Captain" Frank De Mott, a village character who had been given the run of the major's place, confessed that he stelle if and sels it for thirty cetts. He got six months in the coun-

Cabled Paragraphs

Peking, Jan. 31.—An imperial edict issued today approves the plans of the constitutional bureau for abelishing the traffic in human beings.

Tokio, Jan. 31.—Special despatches from Seoul report a serious uprising of insurgents at South Phongan, Korea. Twenty Japanese settlers are said to

Tangier, Jan. 31.—The French cruiser, Chateau Renault, which ran aground twenty miles bouthwest of Cape Spartel yesterday, was hauled off the reefs this morning.

Managua, Nicaragua, Jan. 31.—The United States vice consul, Mr. Caldera, was held up on the street today by a tramp, who was armed with a knife. The vice consul quickly reached for his hip pocket, as though to draw a revolver, and the footpad turned and fled.

Frankfort, Jan. 31.—The correspondent of The Tageblatt, who has made an investigation at Eberbach, declares that the story to the effect that Dr. Frederick A. Cook has been staying at the Roggenau sanitarium, is an invention. He adds that he is authorized by the head of the sanitarium to san

hundred men are believed to have been killed by a terrific explosion in the Primero mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company at 4.30 o'clock this

Main Shaft Completely Blocked. From other members it was learned that if the house authorizes the ways and means committee to proceed with the investigation various sub-committees may be selected to go to different parts of the country to take testimony. The committee has twenty members Both fans with which the mine is quipped were shattered and it was npossible to enter the mine until they ere repaired at 7.36 o'clock tonight. were repaired at 7.36 o'clock tenight.

As soon as the fans were repaired General Superintendent J. F. Thompson and a rescue party entered by the main airshaft, but were unable to reach the main shaft, which is completely blocked. The party returned to the surface after securing five bodies, which were badly burned.

A party equipped with oxygen helmets replaced this party. The workings were reached through the airshaft, and are now being searched for more The committee has twenty members and the work might easily be divided, Representative Champ Clark said it

and are now being searched for mor OF U. S. PAYMASTER Miners were rushed to Primero from Trinidad, Segundo, Starkville, Sopris and Cokeville, and are laboring fran-tically to clear the main shaft, reliev-

Boston, Jan, 31.—A partial admission that he used force in ejecting a civilian, Dr. E. S. Cowles, from a "hop" at the Charlestown navy yard on December 11 last was made today by Paymaster George P. Aufd in a letter which was read at the beginning of his courtmartial on the charge of maltreating an inhabitant while on shore and of conduct unbecoming an officer. Passed Assistant Surgeon Ansey Robnett, against whom are similar charges, will be tried later.

Auids' admission was in the form of a letter to Rear Admiral William E. Swift, then in command of the yard, in which Auid stated that he took hold of Dr. Cowles' shoulders. ing each other every few minutes. It is impossible to determine how far the main shaft has caved in, and it may be days before the shaft is cleared and the total death list known. Little Hope That Any Are Alive. There is little hope that any of the

men in the mine are alive, and the company clerk reports that 79 safety lamps are missing, and it is sure that that number of men are entombed. Many of the miners, however, say that 150 men are mising.

Most of the victims are Slavs and Hungarians. Pit Bosa Wilhelm is known to be among the mising.

While every able bedded man is taking his turn with pick and shovel to of Dr. Cowles' shoulders.
Dr. Cowles testified today regarding the assault and admitted that before the hop he took a picture of Miss Dorothy Hesier of Evanston, Ill., from the rooms of Dr. Robnett and did not return it

ing wildly for their loved ones who have not been found.

Members of the first rescue party say that the effect of the explosion under Ames, daughter of a maval surgeon, ground is indes burned and unrecognizable. was impaled on broken timbers.

GRISCOM SUCCEEDS PARSONS As President of New York Republican

New York, Jan. 31.—Chagrined and disheartened because he was the largest and oldest boy in his class and falled of promotion, Walter Thompson, 15 years old, hanged himself today with his schoolbook strap to a bedpost at his home in Flatbush, L. I.

rior, and of another who committeed suicide on account of the crimes that weighed upon his soul.

Three young men are in jail, suspected of being members of the band.

The president Taft, who is suffering from ergsipelas, became suddenly worse last evening. The president

Baltimore's Mayor.

Baltimore, Jan. 31.—In his annual message to the city council, sent to the two branches tonight, Mayor J.

Barry Mahool declares his belief that suffrage for women is inevitable, and he suggests that the city council join him is a resolution urging the legislature to grant women the right to vote on musicipal questions, subject to cartain limitations which will depar the ignerant and deprayed.

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Hartford.—Charles J. Domahue, pressident of the State Federation of Labor, has called upon the state board of mediation and arbitration to det in its official capacity in arranging a settlement of the strike or lockout at the Hartford rubber works.

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Gotham Beef Party Paris Spirit Rises Formed Monday

NATIONAL WOMEN'S PRO-GRESSIVE SUFFRAGE UNION.

MOVE AGAINST HIGH PRICES

Public Cooking Schools to Be Opened Official Cook Without Meat.

New York, Jan. 31.-The Gothan Beef party, named in memory of the Boston Tea party, was formed today by the National Woman's Progressive Suffrage union, which has been partic-ularly active in the campaign against the higher cost of living. Mrs. Sophia Loebinger, Miss Mary Donnelly, ex-matron at the Queens county jail, and others addressed an open air crowd of come 300 in Madison square.

Disinfect and Clean Up.

The prefect of the department of the Seine has issued instructions to the owners of the flooded houses to clean and disinfect their premises within twenty-four hours after the subsidence of the waters, to the satisfaction of the municipal architects.

The government has ordered the tax collectors to show the greatest lemency to delinquents and the Mont De Piete is extending pawn tickets for three months. Petition Circulated. The following petition was circulated and found many signers;
"We harewith respectfully petition to board of health to take the present ment situation under immediate con-sideration from a hygienic and sani-tary standpoint and in the interest of the public health and welfare. "It has been discovered that the cold storage warehouses harbor entables which by reason of old age and conse-quent decomposition are unfit for con-

fixty days should be confiscated and

Street Schools for Housewives. Mrs. Loebinger said that in a week she and her associates would open public cooking schools in the streets, where housewives would be taught to cook without meat. "Beef May Go Higher."

At the offices of Swift & company ere today it was denied that ship-nents of beef from the west would be urtailed in an effort to hold up the selling now as low as pos sible," said one of the officers of the company. "Beef may go higher from natural causes, but it certainly will not be raised artificially in an effort

Family Trade Shrinks. Small retailers continue to report a shrinkage of family trade, but the wholesalers who supply them insist that business remains very much as usual. The large hotels are buying in normal quantity and report no change in the demand.

FILING OF DAMAGE SUITS.

SUMS AGGREGATE \$700,000. In Connection with Deaths of Col. H. and Chrisman Swope.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 31 .- The filing Ansas City, Mo., Jan. 31.—The lling of damage suits against an attorney and two physicians connected with the investigation of the deaths of Colonel Thomas H. and Chrisman Swope, by Dr. B. C. Hyde, the Swope family physician, for sums aggregating \$700,000, marked his active entrance into the case here today. Following the filing of the suits, staents were issued by Hyde and by his wife, who is a see of Colonel Swope and a sister of Chrisman Swope, regarding the deaths of the two men. Mrs. Hyde expresses absolute confidence in her husband. The first suit filed was against At-Fifteen Bodies Recovered.

Pmiero, Col., Jan. 31.—At 10 o'clock tonight fifteen bodies had been recovered from one of the main slopes. The bodies were literally blown to pieces and were unrecognizable. A special train carrying physicians and Coroner Gilfoyle arrived at 9.45.

absolute confidence in her husband. The first suit filed was against Attorney John G. Paxton, executor of the swope state, who has been prominent in the inquiry. Slander is alleged. Dr. Hyde charges that Mr. Paxton openiv declared the physician poisoned Thomas H. and Chrisman Swope, causing their deaths. Actual damages of \$50.000 are as H. and Chrisman Swope, causing their deaths. Actual damages of \$50,000 are asked in this suit.

Mr. Paxton, Dr. Frank J. Hall, a bacteriologist, and Dr. Edward L. Stewart are named as defendants in the second suit, which is for \$600,000. Dr. Hyde alleges that these men made de-

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New Haven, Conn., Jan. 31.—In an executive order from the office of President Mellen, and effective March I, the duties of assistant to the president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company, until otherwise ordered, will be assumed by E. G. Buckland, vice president of the company, with office in this city.

Mr. Buckland will take the place of Mr. Fabian, whose appointment as purchasing manager was announced earlier in the day. He has had offices in Providence and for a time represented the company at Washington.

Biscuit.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 31.—As a result of eating poison intended for rates, Benjamin Porto of this place died at a local hospital late today. Porto on Jan. 25 ate dinner at the home of an acquaintance and signs of poison developed soon after. An investigation was made and it was found that poisoned biscuit that had been scattered around the house to exterplinate rats had in some way gotten into the food eaten at dinner. Porsented the company at Washington. New Haven, Conn., Jan. 31.—In an accutive order from the office of resident Mellen, and effective March

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W. Littleton, counsel for Charles W. Morse, serving a fifteen year sentence in the federal prison here for violation of the national banking laws, would at service out the time of the accidents to passent to secure the convicted millionaire's release was the assertion of W. E. Neig of Roston today.

Condensed Telegrams

Albert W. Pontius, United States onsul at Swatow, sends an account of the Chinese fan-making industry. As Waters Fall While a Threatened Race Conflict in lavana has been averted, the negroes are agitating for a negro political par-

New York State Senator Conger has made formal charges of corruption against State Senator Jonathan F

The American Bankers' Association has planned to make an organized fight to defeat the administration postal savngs banks bill.

Dr. Dudley A. Sargent, Harvard's physical director, says the day is ap-proaching when woman will be man's

Paris, Jan. 31.—The improvement in the general situation continues and the spirits of the Parisians are rising as the waters fall. Street hawkers are selling postcards pictures of the flood and the boulevards are once more gay with retoicing thousands. Prominent Officers of Princeton un versity declare reports of a breach be-tween the alumni and the university authorities are grossly exaggerated.

Professor Parker of Columbia and Bilmore H. Brown of Seattle have de-clared their purpose to make another attempt to climb to the top of Mount McKinley. General Estrada Has Learned thin 00 of the Madriz troops are entrench ug north of Greytown, Nicaragua, an-

In the Government's Investigation he beef trust the federal grand jury n Chicago is expected to take up the cooks and documents of the National

Several steam trams today resumed the work of pumping out the subway, and considerable progress is being made in the sections where the flood is Packing company. Opera company, will allow his wife to get a divorce so that she may marry his friend, Dr. William Miederer, a German military dentist.

Columns of Pitiful Stories.

Although the papers are printing columns of pitiful stories, a hundredth part of the horror and agony suffered will never be known. Many corpses have been swept down the river, and occasionally a coffin in a boat, which had probably broken away from a funeral procession. Scores of half famished families have been rescued from their homes, and there are hundreds still occupying their half submerged houses, waiting for the waters to recede. A source of danger has been the starving dogs roaming around Alfortville and Ivry, and many of these have been shot in the fear that they might develop rables. In several instances they have made attacks upon humon beings. After Various Conferences with th political leaders, the king of Greece has consented to the convocation of the national assembly and has charged M. Dragoumls with the formation of

Reform of the House of Lords is th one certa i feature of the programms of the new English parliament, and to moderate reform measure.

PRACTICALLY WORTHLESS RATIFIED TREATY

That Providing for General Action by Some of the suburban towns which have been deprived of light were provided this evening with gas from the Paris mains. The work of disinfection in the streets has already begun. the Powers Toward Repression of the "White Slave Traffic."

Washington, Jan. 31.—The treaty ratified by the senate March 1, 1905, providing for general action by the powers toward the repression of the "white slave traffic" has been declared by Daniel J. Keefe, commissioner general of immigration, to be "practically worthless." MAY BE OPENED TODAY. Bodies of Over 180 Miners Lie Dead in

Report of Commissioner General of Immigration.

Cherry, Ill., Jan. 31.—Suppressed excitment prevailed in Cherry tonight among the relatives and friends of the 180 odd miners who lie dead in the St. The failure of this convention to accomplish the good expected was explained in a report by the commissioner general which was transmitted to the senate today by President Taft in response to a senate resolution. In marizing an exhaustive report, Mr.

Tomorrow it will probably be known definitely whether the bodies can be brought to the surface or whether the mine will have to be kept closed.

All arrangements were completed today for the respening of the shaft early tomorrow. Richard Newsam, president of the state mine board, personally superintended the final preparations today. ent can be expected of the signatories as regards the enforcement of our im-migration laws, with which some of the powers are found to be out of sym-

imanmously in layor of destroying the bodies, in the mine galleries as the women are against it.

A Slay woman the other day ran in rage to the mine office and threatened dire venegance because the company was building a trancar track from the mine shaft to the cemetery. She had operation could be looked for except in specific instances. The reasons for

A Slav woman the other day ran in rage to the mine office and threatened dire venegance because the company was building a trancar track from the mine shaft to the cemetery. She had been told that the mine officers intended to take out the corpses at night and rush them to the graveyard secretly. It was explained to her that the transway was for cinder cars.

The helment men from the University of Illinois are expected tomorrow ready to try the interior of the mine.

ZELAYA CAYS HE WAS TRICKED

Tales of easy life and riches await-ing alien prostitutes in the United States have much to do with the great ncrease of prostitutes in this co

False Teeth Saved Her From Husband's Bullet.

he had been separated. Wesley Withey shot the woman while she was on her way to work today with their sixteen-year-old daughter. Withey then shot and killed himself. Mrs. Withey's plate for her false teeth deflected the builtet and she will probably recover. bullet and she will probably recover

\$84,000 PAID FOR WOMAN'S SILENCE

An Average of One Thousand Dollars a Month for Seven Years

CHAS. L. WARRINER FEARED EXPOSURE

Defaulting Treasurer of Big Four Railroad Company Gives Startling Testimony at the Trial of Mrs. Jeanette Stewart-Ford on Charge of Blackmailing Him-Mrs. Ford Present in Court.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 31.—Eighty-four thousand dollars was the price Charles L. Warriner, defaulting local treasurer of the Big Four railroad, paid for a woman's silence.

She Could Never Get Money Enough.

She Could Never Got Money Enough. Fearing exposure of his shortcomings he gave Mrs. Jeanette Stewart-Ford an average of \$1,000 a month for seven years, the payments stopping only when exposure came from other sources Nov. 2 last; that Mrs. Ford could never get enough money, and that he had never been free from her demands, as her declarations of affection were Such was the substance of the start-

Tears.

Mrs. Ford ant through the recital This with immobile countenance. Twice uttered with immobile countenance. Twice uttered anything publicly regarding only during the day did she allow her Mrs. Ford, and the crowd in the court cellings to show. The first instance room followed his testimony with great feelings to show. The first instance room follows before Warriner appeared, when interest. Judge Swing ordered her two children | Warriner stole \$643,000 from the Big removed from the court room. They Four and got six years in prison for it

ling testimony which Warriner gave today at the trial of Mrs. Ford on a charge of blackmailing him.

Mrs. Ford in Court Trembling and in the letter referred to him. He probably will resume the stand when the trial is taken up again tomorrow. Warriner Stole \$643,000

This was the first time Warriner had Warriner stole \$643,000 from the Big

BALLINGER-PINCHOT INQUIRY. GLAVIS CROSS-QUESTIONED. Pinchot Will Be a Witness Friday or Saturday.

Washington, Jan. 31 .- When the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating commit-tee adjourned late today until next Friday morning, Louis R. Glavis was still on the witness stand. He will be

still on the witness stand. He will be further questioned at that time.

Cross-examined by Senator Fletcher of Florida, Glavis said today that Mr. Ballinger, while commissioner of the land office, appeared before committees of congress and by his testimony advocated a bill which would have validated all of the Alaska coal claims. He also said that an affidavit filed September 4, 1968, by Clarence Cunnings when had on it a backing which bore the name of the firm with which Judge Ballinger was connected. Glavis said that at the time Mr. Ballinger naked him not to proceed with his investigation of the coal claims until after election, because of the slowness of campaign contributions; no one was about

paign contributions; no one was about to overhear the conversation.

The name of Donald A. McKenzie was brought prominently into the inquiry today when Glavis testified that McKenzie told him that the reason James R.-Garfield was not retained in President Taft's cabinet as secretary of the interior was because of his an-

containing this interview, but denied when questioned by Senator Root that when questioned by Senator Root that he regarded it as a reflection upon President Taft or that he intended to use it as an attack upon President Taft. Glavis said he thought the president would be interested in it and he thought also that the affidavit would interest Mr. Garfield. Asked what he did with the affidavit, he said he left one copy in the land office at Seattle and sent the other to the forestry bureau.

sign of Pinchot was at today's session with a large leather bag filled with papers. It is expected that he will follow Glavis on the witness stand next Friday or Saturday.

MRS. VAN ZANDT'S DEATH, MYSTERY STILL UNSOLVED. Her Bound Body Found Lying on the Kitchen Stove.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 31.—The cause of the death of Mrs. Jessie Van Zandt, whose bound and roasted body was discovered list Saturday morning, is as great a mystery tonight as when the corpect was discovered.

Theories were brought forward today of both murder and suicide. It is contended on one hand that the woman bound her feet with the intention of hanging herself and that she drank some belladonna, a bottle of which was found near the body. Overcome by the poison, she is supposed to have failen across the gas stove. The motive is found in her unhappiness over the admitted infatuation of her husband for the young girl whose father caused her to be placed in a convent on account of Van Zandt's attentions.

On the other hand, one of Mrs. Van Zandt's attentions, alley from the Van Zandt home shorting about eight thousand employes of the tiathmore as of the galey from the Van Zandt home shorting about eight the alley from the Van Zandt home shorting about eight the alley from the Van Zandt home shorting and the police.

Roston, Jan. 31.—Even higher prices for meats are predicted for Boston the coming week in view of the heavy ship means of livestock on outward bound steamers and decreased receipts in the local markets.

The two weeks' boycott, which started at midnight Saturday, had little effect on the markets today so far as could be observed.

The plan to substitute fish for meat received a decided setback today when so small receipts prices went soaring.

Little Likelihood of a Strike on the B. 6. O. Road.

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MRS. THORNE SWINDLED ELKS.

Elks throughout the country. It is alleged that her plan has been to exhibit the membership card of Hurry A. Thorne of Arizona, who she says is her son, and then borrow money on the strength of a plausible tale of distress. She was recently successful in raising.

Indianapolis, Jan. 31—The joint wase scale conference between the operators of the bituminous coal mines in west-

of the bituminous coal mines in western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana,
and the organized mine workers of
these states, appointed for tomorrow at
Toledo, was postponed by the convention of the United Mine Workers of
American in session here tonight. The
convention had not completed its business. Its officials hope its action on
committee reports will be finished tomorrow and the miners' representatives can then proceed to Toledo for
the conference.

Price of Milk Reduced

FOR ASSIGNMENT TO DUTY. This Will Seriously Interfere With Plans Made by Arctic Explorer.

PEARY ORDERED TO REPORT

Washington, Jun. 31.—Commander Robert E. Peary, the discoverer of the North pole, has completed his tidal and other observations made for the coast and geodetic survey in the Arcite re-gions and has been ordered to report to the navy department for assign

department, as reported from Wash-ington today, it will seriously inter-fere with plans that have been made for testimonials in his behalf and with his arrangements to sail for Eu-rope on April 27. In view of this, his friends here expressed surprise today on learning that he had been ordered to report for duty. Announcement has already been

made that a national testim

east of the Misclasippi river.
In going to Europe in April, one off his chief desires was to attend the annual dinner of the Royal Geographical of the interior was because of his an-tagonism to the Alasgan coal claim-graphical societies in Paris, Ber Petersburg,

ELECTIONS ENDED IN ENGLAND, A Few Scotch and Irish Constituencies

nounced today, completes the elections for the new parliament in England. The remaining half-dozen constituencles to make returns are Scotch and Irish The final totals in England along give the unionist tariff reformers 232 seats, the liberals and laborites com-bined 227, or a unionist majority of 12, compared with a liberal-labor majority

of 211, received in 1906. Higher Prices for Meats Predicted in

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Borrowned Money on Plausible Tale of Distress.

Paterson, N. J. Jan. 21.—A woman who gives her name as Mrs. Martha Thorne of Arizona has been arrested at Dover, N. J., charged with swinding a given the country. It is also not not be a superfixed at the cut of the country. It is also not not construct the country of the new admin-city payroll in the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus C. Miller, president of the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus C. Miller, president of the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus C. Miller, president of the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus C. Miller, president of the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus C. Miller, president of the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus classification, seventy-five enclineers on the city payroll in the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus classification, seventy-five enclineers on the city payroll in the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus classification, seventy-five enclineers on the city payroll in the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus classification, seventy-five enclineers on the city payroll in the borough of the Bronx were notified tonight by Cyrus classification, seventy-five enclineers on the city payroll in the borough of the city payroll in the borough of the city payroll in

Interlaken, N. Y., Jan. 21.—The five year old son of the Rev. and Mrs. Johns T. Greene, residing near Kidder-on-Cayuga-Lake, was fatally poisoned to-day by his mother. She mistook a bottle of carbolic acid for a toothache remedy and gave him a spoonful. Four physicians worked over the child several hours but could not save him. eral hours, but could not save him.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 1.—Arbitrators to decide the differences between the legraphers on the Baltimore and Ohio ort Southwestern rallway and the road on the Lake Shore collided with the rese management will be appointed together and of the property of the largest retail milks on the Lake Shore collided with the rese management will be appointed together and of a regign train four miles announced tonight that the price of their decision shall be final.